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WEATHER REPORT
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STRONG DRIVE AGAINST KAISER

Three Lines of German Trenches Captured Near Fricourt

DEAD IN THE MARSHES

Light Batteries and Machine Guns of French Mow Down Invaders of the Country

London, July 8—The British troops in their new advance have gained several important successes, a mong which are the capture of a further portion of an immensely strong position known as the Leipzig redoubt, according to the official statement issued by the London War Office.

East of Kaboisselle the British have captured German trenches on a front of nearly 2,000 yards to a depth of 500 yards. In the direction of Ovillers the British have forced their way into the village after capturing 500 yards of the German front.

North of Fricourt the British drove the enemy from two woods and captured three lines of trenches.

An attempt by the Prussian Guards to stem the advance east of Contalmaison was crushed by the British fire and 700 prisoners of various regiments were taken. Contalmaison was stormed, but was retaken by the Germans in a strong counter-attack.

Paris, July 8—German attacks on the Frnech front entailed terrible losses for the enemy. One of these attacks, made between Estrees and Belloy-en-Santerre involved the attackers' crossing swamps and wide tracts of flat ground without shelter of any kind. The French turned on their light batteries and machine guns and cut the Teutons down by the thousands. The marshes are now full of the dead. Piles of bodies can be seen from the French lines.

The Seventeenth division of Bavarians suffered very heavily. Two regiments attacked in massed formation At first the French fire curtain was sufficient to hold their charges, but some got through and were cut down by machine guns. There were six charges. Then the French charged with the bayonet and put the remainder of the brigade to flight.

A Bavarian company managed to obtain possession of some sheds where they were besieged. After two hours' of fighting the Bavarians surrendered. Interrogated they said their officers had not thought of the possibility of a French offensive. Half an hour before the attack of July 1 among them, copies of which were found on dead and wounded, and on prisoners, declaring an allied offensive in the north had been prevented by the attack on Verdun.

A quarter of an hour later a certain army corps, which the enemy believed to be still upon the Meuse was gathering spoil in the very trenches where the boast was uttered.

London, July 8—The head of the German staff must be faced with difficulty and perplexing problems at the present moment. He must decide how to meet the new co-ordinated strategy of the Entente Allies and how best to utilize Germany's available military resources.

Never before in the history of the war has Germany been called upon to meet a strong double offensive on both the western and eastern fronts.

The question whether Great Britain will be able to maintain an adequate supply of ammunition at the present rate of wastage received an answer in part from Frederick G. Kellaway, M. P., secretary to Dr. Christopher Addison, who next to David Lloyd-George is the most important official in the Ministry of Munitions. Mr. Kellaway says:

"We are not yet at the full flood of our output of guns and shells. If the Germans cannot be driven home otherwise, our army shall have such a supply of guns that the limbers shall touch each other in a continuous line from the Somme to the sea."

He added that 90 new arsenals had been provided and that 4,000 controlled firms were producing munitions. The total number of munitions workers in 1914, he said, was under two millions, and there now are three and a half millions. The labor problem Mr. Kelloway asserted, has been to a large extent solved by the women. Before the war 184,000 women were engaged in war industries. There are now 666,000 so engaged.

Much interest is attached to the new Russo-Japanese treaty, which, according to an authoritative Japanese source here, effectively dispels any hope Germany may have held of seducing any member of the Entente Alliance, and it is the strongest possible reply to the numerous offers which have been made to both Japan and Russia with a view to bringing about a separate peace.

OUSTER LAW DRASTIC

Many Officers Required to Report All Violations to Prosecutor

Richmond, July 8—Section 3988 of the code provides that constables, sheriffs, commissioners in chancery, commissioners of the revenue and all other officers are required to make prompt report of all violations of the penal laws of the state to the attorneys for the commonwealth in each city and county.

Attorney General Pollard is wrestling with this problem—for the benefit of the officers charged with the enforcement of the Sunday closing law and all other laws. Some officer has raised the question as to whether they are liable to removal for failure to report any and all cases that they may see or which may be pointed out to them by any citizen.

Under the section above referred to it is more than likely that Mr. Pollard will hold that the officers referred to will be subject to the provisions of the ouster law when they fail to make report of violations of the laws generally.

Another question, and one which of equal importance, is that as to liability of justice of the peace, notaries public and county surveyors to the terms of the famous ouster law. Under the code these officers are made conservators of the peace. Is it the duty of the conservators of the peace to make report of all violations which come under their observation of which may be reported to them by citizens of the state?

That there would be an incongruity were a justice of the peace to make report of a violation of the law, when he is charged with dispensing justice appears in the minds of some persons who have discussed the measure, and it has been passed up to Mr. Pollard for his views on the matter. He is engaged in consulting the authorities bearing on the point. In case a justice of the peace were to make a report of a violation of the law that came under his observation he might have to sit in the case, and thus he would appear as prosecutor.

All commissioners in chancery in this city, Sheriff Herbert Mercer and all his deputies, several hundred notaries public(and there are many women in this classification) and Commissioner Tresnon are involved in the enforcement of the law, and when they see any violations, regardless of who it is or where whether called to their attention by citizens or observed personally, should Mr. Pollard hold that they are subject to the provisions of the ouster law, will be compelled to report all violations, failure to do so vacating their office when called to the attention of the judges of the state.

Mr. Pollard has not ruled in the case, and it may be several days before he does, but it is easy to see that the ramifications of the ouster law are far more extensive than at first appeared.

SERMON ON THE SABBATH

Evangelist Gibson Insists On The Seventh and Not the First Day of the Week

"The Institution of the Sabbath" was the subject discoursed upon at the gospel tent last night. Among other things the speaker, Evangelist Gibson, said that Sabbath means a day of rest—to rest and that the day was instituted by God on the seventh day of the first week of time in the world's history. He alleged that the great majority of people are not observing the day originally set apart, and many are not observing any day.

The subject of the evangelist tomorrow night will be the Sabbath taught in the New Testament.

TEUTONS FLEE LEAVING GUNS

Russian Force, Advancing on Kovel, Takes Three Villages

BERLIN ADMITS LOSS

Germans Forced By Pressure to Abandon Salient Near Czartorsk Before Muscovites

Petrograd, July 8—Following up their advance in the region of the Lower Styr, the Russians have occupied two villages and a railway station.

The War Office announcement says that the villages of Komrow and Grady and the railway station of Manevitchi are now in Russian hands.

These three points are in the region to the west of Czartorysk, where there has been violent fighting for several days, the Germans having thrown in heavy reinforcements to check the Russian advance toward the important strategic position of Kovel. The Manevitchi station is 14 miles west of Czartorysk, on the railway line between Sarny and Kovel Komarow and Grady are southwest of Czartorysk.

According to the latest information the prisoners taken on July 4 west of the Lower Stripa were 270 officers and 9,900 men. The following booty has been registered up to the present: Twenty-nine machine guns, 6 bomb throwers, 3 mine throwers and more than 5,000 rifles.

Berlin, July 8—A salient of the German line in Volhynia projecting toward Czartorysk has been abandoned under superior pressure by the Russians and a new line of defense selected it was announced by the War Office.

The repulse of Russian attacks on both sides of Sokul, in the Volhynian region, is reported.

Heavy attacks by the Russians against Field Marshal von Hindenburg's forces south of Lake Narocz were beaten off.

I. O. O. F. INSTALL OFFICERS

The following officers of Potomac Lodge, No. 38, I. O. O. F. were installed last by District Deputy Grand Master T. E. Butts and Staff Sitting Past Grand,, A. T. Sullivan.

Noble grand, G. C. Trenary.

Right supporter to noble grand, D. R. Stansbury.

Left supporter to noble grand, H. E. Arnold.

Vice grand, G. R. Gaines

Right supporter to vice grand, W. Topping.

Left supporter to vice grand, W. E. Grillbortzer.

Recording Secretary, N. T. Williamson.

Financial Secretary, W. E. Latham, sr.

Treasurer, G. W. Bontz.

Right scene supporter, J. B. Collins.

Left scene supporter, Frank Arnold.

Inside guard, Arthur Lloyd.

Outside guard, E. R. Clark.

Warden, Frank Chilcotte.

Conductor, W. C. Cummingham.

Degree master, W. T. Martin.

Organist; W. T. Clark.

CONVENTION OF ELKS

A number of members of Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, B. P. O. E., are planning to attend the national convention of Elks which meets in Baltimore from July 10 to July 15. At the opening session Monday it is expected that Alexandria will have a large representation, and several will attend all of the sessions, both for business and pleasure, that are being arranged by the Maryland city for the entertainment of the members of the antlered tribe.

Those entitled to seats at the convention as delegates from the local lodge are all of the living past grand exalted rulers, numbering about fourteen. James B. Martin is the official representative and Jacob Brill, the alternate.

NIGHT IN NEW ORLEANS

Virginia Soldiers Arrive in Crescent City Where They Are Entertained

A battalion of four companies of the First Virginia Infantry, among which were the Alexandria company enjoyed a short respite from the dust of travel last night, when they left their train at the Illinois Central depot in New Orleans and dispersed to the Young Men's Gymnastic Club, the Elks' Club and Behrman (public school) bathing pools, and enjoyed a real bath, the first since leaving their native soil. The arrangement to allow the Virginians to stretch their legs was brought about through a telegram from Captain Richard Beirne, who formerly lived in New Orleans, who wired Mayor Martin Behrman, the Association of Commerce, Board of Trade and other bodies. Immediately action was taken, with the result that the Virginians were given carte blanche at the above named places the minute they arrived.

The men divided into two squads to go and take the baths, the greater crowds going to Behrman Gymnasium and Young Men's Club because of the immense size of their tanks, The men enjoyed their short furlough from the train, and many of them made hurried trips to post. card stores, and as a result Virginia will be flooded with pictures of New Orleans scenes. The coming of the guardsmen at this time was surprising, in view of the supposed halt in American mobilization, caused by the last exchange of notes between President Wilson and Carranza.

LOCAL BREVITIES

A moonlight excursion will be given Monday night on the steamer St. Johns, by the Temple Sisterhood.

The funeral of the late Miss Mary Elizabeth Walsh, of Fairfax county, took place this morning from St. Mary's Catholic church at 10 o'clock.

A lawn fete will be given by the Ladies' Guild of the Braddock Heights Chapel to be held on the church lawn on the evenings of July 12 and 13th.

Funeral services for the late Thomas C. Hoy, Jr., who died Thursday afternoon, were conducted at St. Mary's Catholic church this morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

J. E. W. Timberman of this city delivered the opening address at the nineteenth annual session of the Valley Royal Arch Masons School now in session in Charlottesville. His subject was "The Symbolisms of the Royal Arch Degree and What They Teach."

The Young Men's Sodality Lyceum will give an excursion to Colonial Beach on Wednesday, July 12th. A large number of Alexandrians are expected to go to Colonial Beach on this excursion, which is the only one given this season by any of the organizations of St. Mary's Church.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS.

The following examinations have been announced by the Civil Service Commission to take place on the dates mentioned:

Accounting and statistical clerk, August 9-10; Sawyer and marine engineer, August 1; Assistant biochemist, August 1; Senior highway engineer, August 8; Structural steel draftsman, August 8; Local and assistant inspector of hulls, August 9-10; Dairy husbandman, August 8; Topographer, August 1.

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SHAKEUP AMONG TAX EXAMINERS

State Board Ends Controversy in Sixth Judicial Circuit

EASLEY IS REMOVED

Alleges Plot was Formed and Charges Trumped Up in Order to Oust Him For Position

Richmond, July 8—Tucker C. Watkins, jr., of South Boston, was yesterday appointed by the State Tax Board examiner of records for the Sixth Judicial Circuit, to succeed James E. Easley, of Houston, who has held the office for the past eight years. The appointment is effective at once, and Mr. Watkins will take office as soon as the qualifies.

With the appointment of Mr. Watkins ends a sharply fought contest which dates from the last session of the General Assembly. It culminated this week with the launching of charges against Examiner Easley by Attorney Benjamin Watkins Leigh, of Houston, who told the Tax Board that Mr. Easley has been negligent in the administraton of his office, and has failed to report for taxation large sums of money in the hands of special commissioners in various chancery causes. The charges were vigorously denied by Mr. Easley.

In behalf of Mr. Watkins there was presented to the Tax Board a monster petition signed by more than 2,000 citizens of the Sixth Circuit including all of the State Senators and all but two of the members of the House of Delegates from that circuit. Mr. Watkins is cashier of the Boston National Bank, of South Boston, and is a son-in-law of Judge W. R. Barksdale, of the Circuit Court of Halifax.

Late last night, Mr. Easley made the following statement:

"The charges preferred against me were trumped up as a plot and subterfuge. They were met by my reply and proven untrue, with the exception of my failure to report some of the funds held by special commissioners of the courts.

"The new law makes the reporting of these funds the imperative duty of the clerks, and imposes on the judges the duty of seeing to the payment of the taxes thereon. The Auditor stated to the board in my presence that the funds were omitted by all the examiners of the State.

"The action of the State Tax Board in removing me is but another evidence that the authorities do not desire the enforcement of the tax laws. The real cause of my removal was my activity in assessing omitted property in Lynchburg held by those who had the ears of the authorities who ousted me."

Among the Lynchburg property owners referred to by Mr. Easley are Craddock, Terry and Co., large shoe manufacturers, against whom he assessed unreturned taxable property for the year 1915 aggregating $2,300,000. The Local Board of Review reduced this amount to $300,000. State Advisory Board on Taxation, which referred to Attorney-General Pollard the legal question involved. Mr. Pollard sustained the construction placed on the law by Mr. Easley. The taxes in this case are still in progress of adjustment.

Craddock, Terry and Co., as well as other large Lynchburg manufacturers and jobbers, joined in recommending the appointment of Mr. Watkins. Friends of Mr. Easley freely made the charge that his removel was due primarily to a combination of powerful interests in the Sixth Circuit, whose hostility he had incurred by his zealous enforcement of the laws relating to unreported taxable property.

The board met in executive session at 11 oclock in the morning in the office of Governor Stuart. At the end of two hours it adjourned and made public the following official statement:

"Resolved by the State Tax Board, That it will, at the end of the present calendar year, consider the appointment of all examiners of records, and will earlier, from time to time, remove any examiner of records now in office whose removal, in the judgment of the board, is proper, and the board now declares vacant the office of examiner of records in the First, Sixth, Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth Judicial Circuits, and proceeds to fill the same by appointments as follows:

"First—S. Burnell Bragg.

"Sixth—T. C. Watkins.

"Twenty second—Judge Bernard Mason.

"Twenty fourth—W. L. Davidson.

"The reappointment of these examiners of records will be considered at the end of the present calendar year, when the board will consider the reappointment of all examiners of records then in office."

REVIVAL OF BOAT CLUB

Old Dominion Building Up Membership and Facilities of Organization

Plans for a grand revival of interest in the Old Dominion Boat Club have been put under way by the officer of that long established organization and a number of committees appointed to assist in the work of building up the membership and facilities of the club. Sufficient interest has been taken in the club in past years to keep it from falling to low estate, new blood and several improvements being all that is necessary to place the club on a par with other associations of its kind in the country.

Since the junior membership law, permitting young men under eighteen and over sixteen years into membership, went into effect several months ago, upwards of twenty-five junior members have sent in applications and been accepted, and besides this a number of other boating enthusiasts over eighteen years of age, have joined, bringing the total membership of the club up to about 60.

Enthusiastic meetings outlining plans for improvements to the clubhouse and the betterment of its facilities have been held lately, and today a crowd of the club's members, forming the Co-operative Paint Society, are busy at work giving the exterior of the club house at the foot of Duke street, several coats of paint the completion of which work is expected in a few days. Crews, among the junior and senior members both, are being organized to man the four four-oared shells and the club will enter a number of regattas on southern waters this summer. The Old Dominion is already a member of the Southern Regatta Association. Improvements will be made to the interior of the clubhouse also, and efforts will be made to bring the membership of the club up to 100.

Present officers of the club are: James S. Douglas, Jr., president; C. Aubrey Callahan, vice president; James W Roberts, secretary-treasurer Carl J. Muller, captain; James S. Douglas, sr., first lieutenant; Ashby Reardon, second lieutenant. The board of governors is composed of Arthur Herbert, Jr., A. C. Moss, Dr. J. T. Ashton, and J. T. Preston, sr.

HELD FOR GRAND JURY

Charles Hemphill, who claims Clayton, N. J., as his home was held for the action of the grand jury by Justice Thompson this morning on the charge of stealing a horse and buggy belonging to Mrs. Henry Blunt of Fairfax county. Hemphill acknowledged the theft and declared that he was hard up and needed the money. He has recently been employed on a stock farm in Fairfax county and was arrested yesterday on Pitt Street by officers Zell and Garvey.

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CLOSING IN ON BANDITS

Large Carranza Forces Bent on Destruction of Villistas

SENDS U. S. WARNING

Outlaw Band Believed to be Headed Toward This Country For The Purpose of Raiding

Chihuahua City, Mexico, July 8—Large Carranza forces, better organized and more completely equipped than any other units of the de facto Government's troops, are closing in on the bandits of Southern Chihuahua and Northern Durango intent on wiping them out.

Jiminez, which the Villa forces captured after defeating an inferior force and killing Gen. Ignacio Ramos has been occupied again by Government troops. The bandits are fleeing through the valley of the river Florida.

Refugees who left Jimmez before the Villa forces were near the city were responsible for the story that Pancho Villa commanded the bandits. Nothing definite regarding his presence has been received here.

Gen. Jacinto Trevino yesterday characterized as absurd reports that a revolt against the de facto government was in progress, and that Alvaro Obregon, Minister of War, would take the field against the bandits.

He said only a few of the chiefs, who had never concluded negotiations to accept amnesty, were concerned, and added that there would be no reason whatever for General Obregon to dignify the bandit operations by assuming charge of the campaign against them.

"The Villistas already are in retreat back up the Florida," said the general. "Large Carranza forces are now on the scene of the battle where Ramos was defeated and are in complete control of the situation.

Military men here explain the delay in getting into touch with the Villistas as being caused by the burning out of bridges which hampered transportation of large bodies of troops. General Trevino has announced that he realizes the necessity of an active, systematic campaign that will crush out the bandits in short order.

Telegraphic communication with Torreon and Mexico City has been restored, and it is expected that the burned bridges will be quickly restored.

Gen. Ernesto Garcia reports all quiet in the Parral district. Gen. Trevino is personally investigating the case of Mrs. Louisa Towns, the American woman who charged she was robbed in Jiminez and threatened with execution. The offenders, he said, would be severely punished if caught.

DEATH OF AN ALEXANDRIAN

Mrs. S. S. Wicks, a native of this city, died Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. G, Povey, in Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, N. Y. The deceased was in the 83d year of her age. The interment will be in Brooklyn, N. Y.

NOTICE

All citizens are requested to save their newspapers and to notify by phone or postal, Mrs. Herbert Ramey 110 South Alfred Street and a wagon will call to collect the 1st of each month.

THE HOSPITAL

The Lady Board of Managers havd pledged themselves to raise $600 interest on money borrowed to help build the new hospital now begun. This means hard work for us and one of the ways and means is selling old newspapers to a large business firm here (for packing). Therefore ask everybody to save and collect all newspapers which will be called for (see advertisement) each month. Please help us.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

Miss Gretta W. Ludwig, is visiting Miss Annie Rorabaugh at her home in Manassas, Va.

Mrs. C. F. Stevenson of Harrisonburg, Va., is visiting her son, R. W. Miller, in Columbus street.

Miss Leslie Rae Baggett, left Monday to spend the summer and fall in the Catskill mountains.

Miss Susie Bruns Duncan, of Columbia, S. C., is visiting Miss Julia Duncan at Hayfield Farm in Fairfax county.

Mrs. A. C. Pickens left this week for Vancouver, from which point she will sail to join her husband, Lieut. Pickens, with the Asiatic squadron.

James W. Bales, of this city, president of the Virginia Elks' Association, left last night for Bedford City, Va., to attend the dedication of the new National Elks' Home in that place.

Dr. John W. Cook, of De Kalb University, Ill., visited relatves in town this week on his way home from the National Educational Association in New York City, of which distinguished body he was for several years president.

Imperial representative E. E Downham of this city will leave tonight for Buffalo, New York to attend the session of the Imperial Council Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, which meets in that city on the 13th and 14th. Ethlebert Downham will accompany him.

William K. Harryman, a student in the medical department of the University of Virginia, who has been visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Harryman, of the Theological Seminary, has returned to the University to take up the work of business manager of the Sunday School magazine there.

William S. McClure, of Washington, has commenced work on the remodeling of the old Washington Hall on the south side of King street near Washington. The building will be converted into two modern stores and six apartments. Samuel DeVaughan has been awarded the contract for the work.

"The War Cry," published in the interest of the Salvation Army, this week contains a good picture of Chief of Police C. T. Goods, of this city. The publication has the following to say of the chief: "Chief of Police C. T. Goods is one of the warmest friends of the Salvation Army in Alexandria, He is a fine Christian man, and has the admiration of all the people of the city, having held the office of Chief of Police for many years. The Salvation Army has a warm spot in his heart."

GAZETTE One Week 10c

CONSIDERING APPEALS

Judge Barley of the Corporation Court Will Soon Make Ruling on Sunday Closing Law

The case of J. Reece Caton,, an appeal from the judgement of the Police Court in imposing a fine of five dollars upon him for selling ice cream, soda water, etc., on Sunday, will be decided by Judge Barley of the Corporation Court in the next few days. Three persons have been fined recently in the Police Court for keeping their places of business open on Sunday and continuing in occupations not deemed necessary. One paid the assessment, but the payment of the fines in the other cases has not been forced, nor will it until the appellate court shall have sustained the lower court or set aside its judgment. Leo P. Harlow is counsel for Mr. Caton.

Many appeals have been taken from Justice Crutchfield in Richmond.

If the jury in the Hustings Court, sustains the ruling of Justice Crutchfield some who have entered appeals are expected to carry their cases to the Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals for a final verdict. Should the jury return a verdict for the defendant, it is expected to be held as a precedent and will likely mean that in the future cigar, confectionery and soda-water stores in Richmond may carry on their trade on Sunday.

Practically every line of business affected by the "blue laws" is represnted in appeals from fines imposed by Justice Crutchfield. Certain businesses and callings have been pronounced by the Police Court Justice to be necessary occupations on the Sabbath. He has held that an automobile may be repaired without violating the law, but that the sale of gasoline to furnish the necessary fuel for the motor is a violation and has imposed fines accordingly. In Alexandria the furnishing of gasoline for such purposes has not been regarded as a violation of the law if it is shown to be necessary. Motorists are deeply interested in the outcome of this test case. He has ruled that a church organist and choirmaster may follow his profession, but has put the ban on hotel orchestras Bootblacks and barbers are classed by Justice Crutchfield as being in the prohibited class, while he has declared street cars, telephones and telegraph services to be necessities and therefore allowed them to continue business without interruption. The lid has never been put on tighter in Norfolk or Newport News.

Jitneys are just as necessary on Sundays as street cars. So ruled Police Justice Crutchfield yesterday in dismissing the case of A. E. McReynolds, a jitneur, charged with operating on Sunday, June 18. Justice Crutchfield also ruled that delivery of flowers for funerals on Sunday is a necessity.

Mike Scher, proprietor of a cigar, soda water and confectionery store in Richmond, was convicted by a jury in hustings court yesterday and fined $5 for keeping his place open and doing business Sunday June 25. In addition, he was placed under $300 bond for twelve months. The case was appealed from police court.

WORK ON NEW HOSPITAL

Razing of Outlying Buildings on Grounds at Duke and Washington Streets

Work is rapidly being pushed forward in razing the back buildings and outlying structures surrounding the grounds and residence of Edward L. Daingerfield at the intersection of Duke and Washington streets which will be the site of the new Alexandria Hospital. The entire back wing of the old Daingerfield mansion is being torn down by the detail of workmen employed by Richardson and Burgess, Washington contractors, who have the contract for the construction of the new edifice. Besides this a stable and several outhouses and frame buildings to the rear of the old residence are also being demolished.

It is expected that ground for the new hospital will be broken early next week, it depending on whether or not the contractors wish to start work on the erection of the structure before the back buildings are entirely torn down. In event that the breaking of ground will follow only the completion of the work of razing the outhouses, it may be that several days of next week may elapse before ground is broken. There, is little likelihood of this, however.

ACCIDENTS.

The blow-out of a tire of an automobile belonging to Julian Beach came near causing a serious accident at the foot of Johnson's Hill, in Alexandria county, last night. Mr. Beach's wife was driving the machine at the time of the accident. The blowing out of the tire caused the auto to swerve suddenly, nearly capsizing it. The occupants, while startled, escaped injury.

While Thomas H. Helm, of this city, was seated in his wagon near the south end of Long Bridge yesterday afternoon on his way from Washington, the breeching of the harness broke, which caused his spirited mare to become unmanageable. The animal kicked viciously, and Mr. Helm in attempting to quiet her caused the wagon to turn suddenly and to capsize. The vehicle and contents fell upon him, causing serious injury. He was later brought to his home on south Lee street.

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MULTIPLICATION OF DIVORCES.

It is said that at the close of this year there wil have been granted in the sixteen years of this century 1,400,000 divorces in this country, 125,000 of which will have been the harvest for this year.

We agree with the Richmond Virginian which says the divorce statistics are a disgrace to America, a stigma upon the fair name of our country, a reflection upon those things in American home life we hold most dear.

Continuing our Richmond exchange says we do not say that divorces should not be granted. There are some offenses which neither God nor man expects a decent man or a decent woman to put up with—and for which the law and public opinion are united in granting the innocent party relief.

But this thing of giving anybody a divorce who can pay a lawyer's fee and court costs is a travesty on decency, and makes the courts parti ceps criminis in the slaughter of proper ideals and clean living.

We would not be over-harsh, but the divorce situation has resulted in a system that can be described only as one of legalized concubinage in thousands and thousands of cases.

It occurs to us that a very large proportion of the shipwrecks on the sea of matrimony could be averted by reasonable preparation for the duties and responsibilities of married life on the part of the young people.

It may be the boast of the propective groom that he is not marrying to secure a cook —but how many homes have been wrecked because the wife has had no practical training in household duties!

It may be the boast of the bride-to-be that her intended is handsome and stylish and gallant. But can he plow corn, or drive a nail, or shoe a horse, or sell goods, or dig a ditch, or has he training for professional work? In other words is he equipped to keep the wolf from the door, with energy and the capacity for sustained effort which keeps the larder supplied? Empty stomachs are not satisfied with terms of endearment. Love is an empty thing if the lover is a loafer, who puts forth no effort to provide for the family, or if he is selfish and expends his earnings on his own pleasure to the neglect of the necessities.

It is a mistake for people who love each other truly to put off marriage until they can live expensively. The income need not be large if the wife has had practical experience in handling household affairs, and the husband is not given to expensive indulgences. We believe in early, but not hasty marriages.

When a manly lad finds a womanly, motherly, modest, old-fashioned girl he ought to be licked if he does not do his best to win her for a wife —and when a manly lad comes a-courting even though clad in home-spun, red headed, freckle-faced, and very much put to it to know just how he ought to wear his hands or to dispose of his feet, the old-fashioned girl will see his worth.

STRUGGLE BETWEEN TEUTONS AND SLAVS

For many years the belief has prevailed that a titanic struggle between the English-speaking and Teutonic races for world supremacy was inevitable. About a decade ago this conflict, it was thought was about to be precipitated. But the would-be combattants were kept apart at that time by the money powers of Europe. Germany and France barely escaped coming together about five years ago, but the former power, for some reason, preferred to wait until two years ago before ringing up the curtain upon what is the most sanguinary and universal conflict in the world's history.

From present indications the result of this war will determine whether the German or Slav is to dominate in the eastern section of Europe. This is the problem which faces the Kaiser at present. The remarkable success of France and England on the west front and the triumph of Russia on the east is doubtless depriving the war lords of Germany of much rest.

It is sagely suggested that if only half the Russian claims are true, Germany's pressing danger is on her eastern frontier. Petrograd estimates that Brusiloff in the month since his advance began has put out of commission nearly half a million Austrian and German soldiers. The grand total of Teutonic prisoners is put at 235,000, and the dead and wounded are estimated at from 200,000 to 220,000 more. If we add to this the guns and military equipment lost by the Central Powers in this thirty days campaign, it must be conceded that Russia has struck them a blow of the most serious character, if not one that is absolutely irreparable.

If Russia has put only 250,000 men out of the game, she has eliminated a force that it will be almost impossible to replace at short notice and whose loss may make all the difference between ultimate defeat and victory. Even if nearly the same number of Russians have been wiped out, the net result leaves Germany and her ally much worse off than their opponent. They could not swap men Russia even at the best of times But now after two years of war their human resources must be running low, while the vast Russian Empire is still swarming with actual and potential warriors.

If Germany is beaten, it will be by the power of the Slavic nation, the enemy which she has probably most dreaded and which she has hated almost as much as she has Great Britain.

GUARDING THE RHINE,"

Some people of Alexandria were in New York, in April, 1871, when the German element of that city celebrated Germany's victory over France. Alsace and Lorraine, which has been taken from the Fatherland by Louis XIV, of France had been recovered, and people of Teutonic extraction, thousands of whom reside in New York, formed a great procession. It took four hours for it to pass the City Hall. One of the floats represented "Germania Guarding the Rhine." A woman, suggestive of the statutes of Minerva, represented "Germania."

While all this jubliation was going on France was in the dust. Emperor William, Bismark, and the German war lords had entered Paris. The Parisiennes were humiliated, but still resentful. They closed their shops and the people of the previously gay capital sat in sackcloth, and ashes, in which condition they remained until the last Teuton quit the city.

About this time an English Bible student wrote a book in which he made the forecast that at some time, near or remote, France would retake Alsace and Lorraine and extend her boundary to the Rhine. We read the book and laid it aside, wondering if the presage could possibly be fulfilled. "Times change and men change with them" is an ancient adage, and in the light of the startling developments of the early part of the twentieth century we are inclined to adopt the observation of Frederick the Great and Napoleon the First—"in war all things are possible."

A contemporary says that two years ago, talk of pushing the Germans back to the Rhine was popular. Today the thought of such retirement has possibly more substance than before. France has but one ambition in the war, to rid the northern part of its territory from the presence of the invader and to secure Alsace and Lorraine as compensation for the occupancy made by the Germans and the losses entailed by the war on its soil.

If the present action shall prove successful there will be good prospect of the Germans being thrown back upon their Rhine defenses.

But the pushing of the German armies to the Rhine is as yet far from an accomplishment.

THE TRAGEDY OF MEXICO

(Baltimore American)

Nominally Mexico is, or was, a republic of twenty-seven state governments associated under and subordinated to a central constitutional government. Mexico was supposed to be modeled almost exactly on the plan of the United States, having a congress, an elective president and a judicial system similar to our. As a matter of fact there has never been an efficient and successful representative government in Mexico. The long rule of Profirio Diaz was marked by peace and wonderful prosperity, but Diaz, while nominally president of a republic, was in fact a military despot.

Revolutionary anarchy is no new thing in Mexico. Before Diaz succeeded in establishing a firm and efficient depotism there had been fifty-two nominal presidents in fifty nine years. Which is to say there had been prior to the military rule of Diaz revolution after revolution—a continuous state of strife and turmoil—through a period of more than half a century. In fact, from the time of the Spanish conquest down, leaving the thirty years of Diaz out of the count there has never been a government in Mexico deserving the name of government.

There must be a period of education before there can be anything approximating efficient representative government in Mexico. The situation is really very similar to that in the Philippines when Mr. Taft as governor general undertook to organize a semi-autonomous government. There is an educated class in Mexico which probably represents less than one tenth the whole population. There are 14,000,000 of Mexicans, mostly of the aboriginal races, that must be educated into an intelligent exercise of the electorate in order to make representative government something else than a fight for the spoils. Mexico needs the same kind of aid that the United States gave the Filipinos.

THE SUMMER SCHOOLS

(Communicated)

The following is copied from the proceedings of the City School Board as published in yesterday's Gazette

It was decided to ask the Finance Committee of the City Council to appropriate $150.00 for conducting summer schools for the benefit of scholars who failed to pass the examinations at the close of the school year. If this is not placing a premium on seeming indifference and encouragement to the unconscious laggard one would be tempted to ask what would. To the writer it is a surprise that under the much claimed intelligence of the recent additions to the what may be termed the teachers in the higher branches, any failure in reaching the top was possible. What has the Finance Committee of the City Council to do with the matter?

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NEWS OF THE DAY

Minister of War Alvero Obregon is preparing to abandon his post as Carranza's chief cabinet officer to take the field against "Pancho" Villa and that renegade's victorious hordes

William R. Comegy, a well-known business man of Millington, Md., yesterday died from injuries sustained in and automobile accident near Houston, Del.

Charging Billy Sunday, with antagonism to organized labor the New York unions are preparing to give him trouble if he attempts any evangelising in that city.

Told by her physicians that she had less than a week to live, Mrs. Otis Wallace, who drank a solution of bichloride of mercury at Salina, Kans., on the morning of July 4, is spending her last days happily. She says that she suffers no pain and feels like enjoying herself. Card games and music furnish amusement for the doomed woman.

That Japan and Russia are now joined in a treaty of alliance was officially announced yesterday in Tokio by the foreign office. The substance of the treaty is that neither power shall join any political combination against the other. If the territorial interests of either power are menaced both shall consult for their common interests and joint defense.

Discovery yesterday morning of the body of Clarence Keefer, 26 years old, with two bullet wounds in his breast, in a thickly wooded glen near the intersection of Michigan avenue, Sergeant road and Thirteenth street northeast, Washington, revealed a murder mystery, the police think, that promises to be added to the unsolved police mysteries of the capital city.

Mob law reigns in Chihuahua City, The people are stricken with famine. Public service plants have been dismantled by vandals. The water supply has been shut off. Street cars are not running and the city is in darkness. Trevino's army is the cause of the trouble. The soldiers have not been paid. They have been forced to loot the stores for food. Several merchants who resisted them have been killed. It has been a battle of the strong. The women, children and civilians have had to give up their food supplies to the soldiers. The former are fighting each other to death over the crumbs from the latter. Trevino seems powerless to curb the disorder.

The manufacturing boom that has been sweeping the United States as the result of the allies' war orders is about to wane. A big slump is looked for in the business of making munitions for the entente powers, and, in fact, has already set in. Thousands of workmen have been dismissed by various firms who have closed the doors of plants created or enlarged for the purpose of putting out arms, ammunition and war material for England, France and Russia. The main cause for the let-up in the "war business" is the fact that the allied countries have now sufficiently mobilized their industries to turn out their own arms, ammunition and material.

CARDINALS vs. FORT HUNT.

The fast Coast Artillery Corps baseball team from Fort Hunt, Va., will play the Cardinal Athletic Club nine in this city tomorrow, in the Cardinal Baseball Park, at 2:30 p. m. Both teams will have their star players in the line-up and a good game should be the result.

TALK WITH AN ALEXANDRIAN

Walter C. Dameron of N. Columbus Street, Tells of an Interesting Experience

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We therefore, give here an interview with an Alexandria man:

Mr. Dameron, says: "My back hurt so badly that often I had to lay off from work. After I got down, I couldn't straighten up again without sharp pains catching me across my kidneys. There was hardly a night passed that my back didn't ache. My kidneys acted too frequently and during the night I had to get up every little while. When morning came, I felt so tired and weak that I could hardly drag myself out of bed. I doctored and tried different medicine but felt no better until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Henry Callan's Drug Store. I took about six boxes in all and since then I have had but little trouble from my kidneys and have felt like a different person."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Dameron had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

NOTICE OF MEETING

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Arlington Brewing Company, which meeting is hereby called in pursuance of an order of this date, made by the Company's Board of Directors, will be held at the Company's office at Rosslyn, Virginia, at 2 o'clock P. M. on the 11th. day of July, A. D. 1916, for the purpose of considering the Act of Assembly of Virginia, approved March 10, 1916, known as the "Prohibition Act" and for the adoption of such measures as the stockholders may deem proper in reference thereto, or in consequence thereof.

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA VIRGINIA

L. V. Faunce Littleton, Complainant, vs. IN CHANCERY. Edwin C. Littleton, Defendant.

Upon the application in writing of complainant stating specifically the last known post office address or place of abode of the defendant, and it appearing to the Court that process has been issued and returned by the sergeant of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, showing the defendant not being found within the jurisdiction of this Court, the Clerk of this Court on the 3rd day of June, 1916, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant, L. V. Faunce Littleton, from the defendant, Edwin C. Littleton, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; that the complainant, L. V. Faunce Littleton, may be allowed to resume her maiden name of L. V. Faunce, and for such other, further and general relief as the case may require or to equity may seem meet; and an affidavit having been filed that the defendant, Edwin C. Littleton, is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear within fifteen days after due publication of said order of publication and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered; and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said non-resident defendant, Edwin C. Littleton, at 1527 5th St., N. W. Washington, D. C., his last known post office address or place of abode.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Louis N. Duffey, Counsel for Complainant.

Commonwealth of Virginia, in the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria. on the 28th day of June, 1916.

Mary Maxme Elizabeth Anderson, Complainant, vs. IN CHANCERY. Charles Hanley Anderson defendant

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this State, and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in writing to the Clerk of this Court for an order of publication against the said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and an order of publication having been duly granted by the clerk of this court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within 15 days after due publication hereof to answer the the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy of this order be sent by registered mail by the clerk of this court to the last known place of address residence and abode of defendant, to-wit: No. 448 O Street, N. W. Washington, D. C., as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk of this Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A copy teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Wm. P. Woolls, P. Q.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 25th day of May, 1916.

Frank E. Martin, complainant. vs. Winifred Sheik Martin, defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree absolutely divorcing the complainant from the said defendant a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful abandonment and desertion for more than three years, and for general relief.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the said defendant Winifred Sheik Martin is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that she do appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof and do what may be necessary to protect her interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in said City of Alexandria, Virginia, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this City on the 25th day of May 1916, and that a copy be mailed by said defendant Winifred Sheik Martin, at 175 Anislie Street Brooklyn, the Clerk of this Court addressed to New York, her last known place of abode.

A Copy Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
G Washington Lewis, P. Q.

NOTICE

Tax payers who have not listed their personal property are hereby given final notice to file said list with the Commissioner of Revenue on or before the 10th day of July. Those who do not make proper returns by that date will be cited before the Local Board of Review and Examiner of Records, subject to penalty prescribed by law.

Office of Commissioner open to receive list from 9 to 12 A. M. 1 to 5 P. M. and from 7 to 9 P. M.

In evening take the Cameron street entrance to City Hall.

CHAS. H. CALLAHAN,
Commissioner of the Revenue.

By failure on the part of tax payers to submit duly certified list of personal property and income to the Commissioner of Revenue for assessment, the tax payer incurs a heavy penalty which is arbitrarily fixed by statute, and as the Commissioner will hold his office open in the evening as well as during regular office hours we, the undersigned urge all who have not done so to take advantage of this opportunity, and avoid trouble. The Commissioner will make his return to the local board of review immediately after the 10th. Those who have not filed lists before that date will be cited to appear before the board and examiner of records for investigation, subject to the fines and penalties prescribed by law.

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8:47 A. M. Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail tram, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Orange, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

10:22 A. M. Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points at which scheduled to stop. Coaches and Sleeping cars to Atlanta, New Orleans, Birmingham. Sleeper Salisburg to Ashville. Coaches for Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville, Greensboro, and Charlotte.

4:22 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

4:52 P. M. Daily—Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Anniston, Birmingham, and Augusta. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car service. Tourist to California daily.

4:02 P. M.—Local for Harrisonburg and way Stations on Manassas branch. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:22 P. M. Local for Warrenton.

7:17 P. M. Daily—Augusta Special. Through train with sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Through Sleeping cars to Ashville.

10:02 P. M. Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service.

11:02 P. M. Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M. Daily—Memphis special, Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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JOHN N. LAWLER, Executor.

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VIRGINIA NEWS

Mrs. Nannie Osteen, aged 37 years, the mother of ten children, was taken to the General Hospital in Danville, Thursday night, three hours after she had swallowed ten tablets of bichloride of mercury at her home on North Main street. Physicians say she will not survive.

Dr. C. L. Bradshaw, a prominent physician of Falmouth, Stafford county, was arrested in Fredericksburg, Thursday, charged with forgery. It is alleged that Dr. Bradshaw forged the name of G. B. Wallace as indorser of a note for $450, which he then took to a bank in Fredericksburg, got a certified check for $101 and had the other placed to his credit. He admitted to $500 bail for his appearance in court next Wednesday

T. E. Pattie, one of the oldest and most prominent merchants of Warrenton, was found yesterday morning at 6 o'clock lying near the tracks of the Southern Railway, one mile east of the station, by the crew of an outgoing train in an unconscious condition. He had two wounds on his head. Mr. Pattie was placed on the train and it backed to Warrenton Station and he was taken to his home, where he continues to lie in an unconscious condition. Mr. Pattie has been in bad health for months.

NEWPORT NEWS TO CAPITAL.

Railroad Company Organized—Construction to be Begun Late This Year.

Newport News, July 7. — The Washington and Newport News Short Line Railway Company, with Frank S. Gannon as president, was organized here Thursday. The new organization is a consolidation of the Norfolk, Washington and New York Railway and the Potomac and Baltimore Railroad, the last named a Maryland corporation. It was announced that 80 per cent of the rights-of-way have been secured and the work of building the road will be commenced late this year. This line, which will connect with this city and Washington, will run through one of the richest sections of the State. The actual cost of construction, outside of equipment and rights-of-way, will be about $14,000,000.

The Newport News terminal of the road will be located on a site at the city small-boat harbor. The road officials plan a four-hour service to the Union Station in Washington.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

Sale of House and Lot at Corner of Prince and Peyton Streets

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in us by a decree of the Corporation Court entered the 21st day of June, 1916, in the chancery cause therein pending, entitled Emma Murray, et als vs. Taylor Tibbs, et als, the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at twelve (12) o'clock noon, THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1916, the following property, known as No. 137 South Peyton Street, with the frame dwelling house thereon, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the north side of Prince Street, extended, thirty-five feet, three inches westwardly of the west side of Peyton Street, and running thence westerly and binding on Prince Street, extended, one hundred and seven feet; thence northwesterly sixty six feet, ten inches to a point ten inches more or less beyond the old corporation line; thence at right angles northeasterly forty three feet to the old corporation line; thence at right angles southeasterly one hundred and sixty four feet, nine inches to the point of beginning.

Terms of sale: Cash; conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

SAMUEL G. BRENT
HOWARD W. SMITH,
Commissioners of Sale.

I hereby certify that the bond required by the above mentioned decree has been duly executed with approved security.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk

She Serves Balls
We Serve August Fashions
The Coolest of Summery Dresses
The Newest of Sports Clothes
The Daintiest of Summery Lingerie

And, as our fashion service has been without reproach for many a year, let us serve YOU with styles from the

Standard Fashion Sheet
For August

R. E. Knight & Son are displaying the August Pattern from the Standard. They invite the ladies of Alexandria to come in and while inspecting the latest patterns listen to a concert on the Edison Machine from one of the late records.

R. E. KNIGHT & SON
Who sell something of most everything.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors, a special meeting of the Stockholders of the Seminole Land and Investment Cmpany will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax St., Alexandria, Virginia on Wednesday, July 5th, at 11 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of considering an offer for the sale of the real and personal property of the Co. and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

No quorum being present, meeting was then adjourned until Monday, July 1, 1916, at 11 o'clock A. M.

L. V. FRENCH, Secretary.
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FAMILY AVOIDS SERIOUS SICKNESS

By Being Constantly Supplied With Thedford's Black-Draught.

McDuff, Va.—"I suffered for seven years," says Mrs. J. B. Whittaker, of this place, "with sick headache, and stomach trouble.

Ten years ago a friend told me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, which I did and I found it to be the best family medicine for young and old.

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We never have a long spell of sickness in our family, since we commenced using Black-Draught."

Thedford's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, and has been found to regulate weak stomachs, aid digestion, relieve indigestion, colic, wind, nausea, headache, sick stomach, and similar symptoms.

It has been in constant use for more than 70 years, and has benefited more than a million people.

Your druggist sells and recommends Black-Draught. Price only 25c. Get a package to-day. N C. 68

CLASSIFIED ADS

LOST—Two pendants set with diamonds, July 4, between the Warfield Apartments and the Union station or on train No. 35 between Alexandria and Culpeper. Reward if returned to apartment No. 2, The Warfield. 7-3t.

LOST—July 3rd Check amount $16.00. Payable to Laurence T. Washington. Finder will be rewarded. Mt. Ranier, Md., 7-3t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy, and harness. Cheap. Apply, B. B. Ezrine, 904 King Street .. .. 30-3t.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT— Two large beautiful furnished rooms with private bath. Best location, Apply P. O. Box 365. 5-tf.

FOR RENT— Apartment of three rooms and bath, electric lighted, centrally located, Apply X, P. O. Box 365. 5-tf.

FOR RENT—Brick house, 1218 Prince street. 8 rooms and bath. Newly papered. Apply William Recker, 1126 Prince Street.

WANTED

WANTED—A woman for cooking and general housework. Apply Box X, Gazette Office. 1-3t.

WANTED—Several canvassers. Apply B. B. Ezrine, 904 King St.

WANTED — 50 farm hands, good wages, Apply to R. E. Grover, foot of Franklin street, Alexandria Virginia. 29-6t

NO. 1716.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK

At Alexandria, Virginia, at the close of business June 30, 1916.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		956,018.09
Overdrafts unsecured		1,209.25
U.S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$100 000.00	
Total U.S. bonds		100,000.00
Bonds other than U.S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits	$ 12,000.00	
Bonds other than U.S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	$ 5,000.00	
Securities other than U.S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	$ 36,043.06	
Total bonds, securities, etc		53,043.06
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	$12,000	
less amount unpaid	$ 6,000.00	6,000.00
Banking house		50,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		2,856.97
Other real estate owned		7,829.19
Net amount due from Federal Reserve bank		31,692.51
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	$ 8,560.11	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	$ 89,180.77	97,740.88
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than above)		17,691.06
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		2,205.84
Outside checks and other cash items	$ 5,170.38	
fractional currency	$ 1,234.66	6,405.04
Notes of other National banks		1,500.00
Federal reserve notes		700.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Total coin and certificates		26,570.50
Legal-tender notes		1,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer		5,000.00
TOTAL		$1,367,462.39

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	100,000.00
Surplus fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits	59,398.55
Circulating notes	100,000.00
Due to banks and bankers	26,281.27
Dividends unpaid	6,000.00
Demand deposits:	
Individual deposits subject to check	497,599.05
Certified checks	1,196.29
Cashier's checks outstanding	886.24
United States deposits	10,000.00
Postal savings deposits	2,687.68
Total Demand deposits	$512,369.26
Time deposits:	
Subject to 30 or more days notice	463,166.81
TOTAL	$1,367,462.39

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss:

I, Richard M. Green, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1916.
J. JOHNSTON GREEN, Notary Public.
My Commission expires Jan. 5. 1919.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
EDWARD L. DAINGERFIELD
WORTH HULFISH
M. A. AHERN
JNO. M. JOHNSON
CARROLL PIERCE
URBAN S. LAMBERT
Directors

Have your MATTRESSES MADE. Re-Made equal to new. Full size mattress, made to order from pillows $2.00 up. All kinds of mattresses. Also recovered $1.50. We also carry a full line of all Standard Makes of Springs, which we sell at factory prices.

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Manufacturers of
Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and Sulphuric Acid.
Capacity 50,000 Tons per Annum.
Ask your dealer for the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Co's pro-

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Corrrectly Laundered
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Banner Steam Laundry
Telephone, Bell 203
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FOR RENT—Six rooms and bath, 1209 Duke street, $10 per month; Five room flat and bath, Duke and Henry streets, $8.50 per month.

HARD SHELL CRABS NOW ON SALE AT RAMMELS CAFE

BURKE & HERBERT, Bankers
Established 1852
High Grade InvestmentBonds 1st Mortgages on Real Estate.
Deposits Received Subject to Check. 3 Per cent. paid on Savngs Deposits. Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent. Letters of Credit and Travelers Express Cheques.

Citizens National Bank
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA
COMPTROLLERS CALL

	March 10, 1876	May 1, 1916
Surplus	$ 486.61	$ 163,886.44
Deposits	140,075.94	1,017,398.56
Assets	355,562.55	1,380,385.00

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FOR SALE
A BEAUTIFUL PRINCE STREET RESIDENCE
An attractive 3 story press brick residence with 10 rooms and bath No. 510 Prince St., dounble parlor, hot water heat, gas, sewer connections, lot 25x160 feet, one square from car line, City Postoffice and desirably located. Price reasonable and terms easy. For further particulars.—See
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Are you providing for the days to come when you may have neither the vigor nor the inclination to hustle for a living? One way of laying a firm foundation for those days is by wise invesement in real estate. Most of the big fortunes of today re sulted through early purchase of real estate. We have houses of all styles, large and small, for cash or on instalments, and if you want a bargain in real estate, we can give it to you. Consult us if you wish to place your money to the best advantage.

Further Particulars of
J. D. NORMOYLE
King and Royal Streets

THE BURNING QUESTION

that confronts you to-day is, is your house insured; have you an insurance policy covering your property, or are you at the mercy of the fire fiend whenever he sees fit to ravage your home? If you are not insured get insured today, there is no telling what may happen tomorrow. We will write you a policy that will protest you.

Graham & Ogden.
Alexandria Virginia 529 King Street.

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THE BIG MOTOR CAR VALUE OF THE 1917 Season
Increased Production--Economical Merchandising and Standardized Manufacturing Permit Remarkably Low Price.

The prices of Maxwell Cars are again reduced—$595 for the Touring Car and $580 for the Roadster are the new prices—effective July 1st, 1916. Only the price is changed—not the car.

We emphasize this point because you might well suppose that a lowered price would necessitate some changes in the Maxwellg car—somethin taken from its complete equipment—or some lowering of Maxwell standards of quality.

P. W. Harvey
1000 Oronoco Street

Alexandria National Bank
CAPITAL $100,000.00.

We are prepared to handle the accounts of firms, corporations and individuals, who may rely upon courteous consideration and the very best terms that are consistent with good business methods.

OFFICERS

Judge C. E. Nicol, President, W. B. Smoot, Vice-President.
J. L. Perry, Cashier

FOR A LONG TOUR

make everything sure and ship shape. Stock up with a little repair kit, a hero of a hundred emergencies. Carry some blow-out patches along. Let us show you our stock of tire protectors We can smooth your touring way.

604 King Street **Fairfax & Co.** BellPhone 118

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect May 28, 1916

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33 a.m 12:01, 12:16 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:16, 8:53, 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:33, (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accomodation for Fredericksburg at 2:23, p. m. Saturdays and 11:13 a. m. other days of week.

Local from Richmond arrives 6:07 p. m. week days and 8:07 p. m. Sundays.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company.

Every day in the year for Fort Monroe, Norfolk, Newport News and points south, via suberb powerful steel palace steamers.

Through connections made at Norfolk with steamers of the Old Dominion Steamship Company for New York and Merchants and Miners' Steamships for Boston.

WASHINGTON-VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In effect June 21, 1915.
Subject to Change Without Notice.
Leave Alexandria For Washington—
Daily Except Sundays and Holidays—
A. M.—5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 45, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20, 7 30, 7 40 7 50, 8 00; 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40; 10 00; 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40, Noon 12 00.
P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40; 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 30; 9 00; 9 30; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.
Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.
Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.
A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30;—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 3 30; 4 30; 5 35; 6 40 7 35, 9 55, 10 30; 11 50.
Sundays as above except 6 35 and 8 55 A. M. and 12 50 P. M.

Summer Prices
Anthracite Coal
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Established in 1860
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EXTRAORDINARY VALUES are being offered in every department throughout our establishment.

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"I have been a sufferer from stomach trouble for a number of years, and although I have used a great number of remedies recommended for this complaint, Chamberlain's Tablets is the first medicine that has given me positive and lasting relief,' writes Mrs. Anna Kadin, Spencerport, N. Y., "Chamberlain's Tablets have done wonders for me and I value them very highly." Obtainable everywhere

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One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well." Obtainable everywhere.